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<u>AMENDMENT</u>

Assistant Commissioner for Patents Washington, D.C.

SIR:

In response to the Office Action dated June 21, 2000, please amend the above identified application as follows.

IN THE CLAIMS

A clean version of all pending claims is provided herewith in **Attachment A**. It will be noted claim 26 has been canceled, that the remaining claims have all been amended relative to the previously provided version, and new claims 29-30 have been added - as shown by the marked up version thereof in **Attachment B** provided herewith.

<u>REMARKS</u>

By this Amendment, independent claims 1, 18 and 22 have been amended for clarity and to better define the invention. Other dependent claims have also been amended consistent with the changes to independent claim 1 and/or for clarity, while new claims 29-30 have been added to further claim the invention. It is submitted that the present application is in condition for allowance for the following reasons.